



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jerry McKinney § Attorney Docket No.: Clearstream-6
Serial No.: 09/617,749 §
Filing Date: July 17, 2000 § Art Unit No.: 1724
For: *Current and Aeration System* §
for Wastewater Plant § Examiner: Chester T. Barry

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DECLARATION OF JERRY MCKINNEY

I, Jerry McKinney, declare as follows:

1. I am the named inventor on the captioned reissue application.
2. From January 1986 to March 2000, I was president of Clearstream Wastewater Systems, Inc.
3. The Clearstream Brochure referred to in the Amendment in response to the Office Action was published in October of 1997, well after the application that matured into the patent for which reissue is sought was filed.
4. In the time frame of July 1997, I personally contacted Skyline Displays - Houston, Inc. to perform work in conjunction with a display and to design what ultimately matured into the Clearstream Brochure.
5. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a pro forma invoice, No. 9540, of Skyline Displays - Houston, Inc. dated September 23, 1997, and contains an entry for "Creative Art Charges, Brochure/10 hours, brochure; 14 hours, tank" and a charge of \$2400.00.
6. The entry referred to in the preceding paragraph is for work done in creating the Clearstream Brochure.
7. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a work order obtained from Becker Printing Company dated October 1, 1997 for a six-page brochure for Clearstream Wastewater. It is noted

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that on the left-hand side of Exhibit C, the word "New" appears, evidencing that this was a new project for Becker Printing Company.

8. Attached hereto as Exhibit C is an invoice from Becker Printing Company dated October 22, 1997 for printing 10,000 copies of a six-page brochure, which was the Clearstream Brochure. Note that the Clearstream Brochure is in fact a six-page brochure.
9. I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or document, or any registration resulting therefrom.

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